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We have also been advised by the Alberta Wheat Pool Publicity Department that a new elevator will be built at Balzac and Delacour. This will be interesting news to Pool farmers living in those districts.

Agricultural Society Meeting Held

Election of Officers

At a meeting of the Agricultural Society held in the Fire Hall Saturday evening, May 4th, the following officers were elected:

President—Chas. Webber.
1st Vice-Pres.—R. M. McCool.
2nd Vice-Pres.—Wm. Urquhart.
Directors—E. Myers, G. Ouel, Mr. R. Arnott, Angus Robertson, Chas. Duggan, Robt. Arnott, Geo. Murdoch, Mrs. Halliday, Mrs. Geo. Murdoch, Mrs. Wm. Laut, J. Massey and F. Laut.
Watch for date of next meeting.

Birthday Party Much Enjoyed

Florence Cruickshank was a dainty hostess to a group of small friends on her birthday, Thursday, May 2nd. Among the guests who sat down to the prettily decorated tea table in the hotel dining room were: Vera Pogue, Gladys Willie, Mary Murdoch, Margaret and Kathleen Fitzpatrick, Wilda Laut, Volma Pogue, Margaret McKay, Alma Gordon, Hazel Oram, Jean Smart, Marjorie Walker, Jessie Young and Vera McCaughern.

Bring in the Babies

The Floral U.F.W.A. are pleased to be able to announce that they have made arrangements with the Department of Public Health, to hold a baby clinic at Mrs. O. E. Jones' home on Monday, June 3rd, commencing at 1 a.m. Mothers in the community are invited to come and bring their babies and children up to six years of age.

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Gamblers—Blanks.
Musicians—Half-tone and note heads.
Reporters—News.
Stock promoters—Light-weight statements.
Glasiers—Glasings.
Half-frozen Winnipeggers heading Newly married couples—Kid finish, for bed—Covers.

Tea and Sale of Cooking

Saturday, May 18th

The ladies of the Church of the Ascension are holding a tea and sale of home cooking on Saturday, May 18th, in the building recently vacated by the post office management. Everybody welcome. Contributions thankfully received.

MOTHERS DAY

Sunday, May 12th

We are all remembering, of course, because we never in the world can forget, that the second Sunday in May is Mother's Day. What a beautiful thought it was—and is—to set apart a special day on which to honor one who means so much to every son and daughter, everywhere. It is true the loving kindness we owe her should not be held by one day alone; it is a sacred debt which none of us can fail in striving wholeheartedly to repay. And yet not a debt in the ordinary acceptance of the term—we do not feel it so. Instead, we rejoice in being able to make "mother's days," such and every one of them as it comes, a bit happier and brighter because we love her. Isn't that true? And if the one mother in the world, or us, has "gone beyond," we will try to put a touch of extra gladness into the life of some other mother for her sake. And we will strive, ever and always, to do as nearly as we can as she would have us do—to follow the example she gave us.

Marquette Varsity Honor Crossfield Boy

Donald McFadyen, of Crossfield, a Junior in the Marquette University College of Liberal Arts in Milwaukee, Wis., is among the fourteen Marquette Juniors who have been named for membership in Alpha Sigma Sigma, the official honor key society of the university.

Membership in Alpha Sigma Tau is based on service, loyalty and scholarship in the university, and each year not more than two Juniors from each school and college at Marquette are selected for membership by their respective classes. The appointments must meet with the approval of the president of the university.

East Community Hall Dances To Be Held

The management of the East Community Hall will hold a dance in the hall on May 24th, June 7th and June 21st. Keep these dates in mind.

New Library Books Received By The Womens' Institute

The Women's Institute beg to announce that they have added the following list of books to the library shelves recently:

"Red Gold" by Charlotte Gordon;
"The Window" by Alice Grant-Ross;
"Red Sky at Morning" by Margaret Kennedy; "The Flutes of Shanghai" by Louise Jordan Miln;
"Our Daily Bread" by Frederick Philip Grove; "Storm House" by Kathleen Norris; "Possession" by Vazo de la Roche; "Bluenarrow" by Isabel Ecclesstone Mackay; "Silver Maple" by Marian Keith; "Wallflower" by Temple Bailey; "The Small Bachelor" and "He Rather Enjoyed It" by P. G. Wodehouse; "Sorel & Son" and "Old Pybus" by Warwick Deering; "Power" by Arthur Stringer; "Emily's Quest" by L. M. Montgomery; "Mary Marie" by Eleanor H. Porter; "The Great Awakening" by P. Oppenheim; "Rage by Request" by E. M. Bell; "Chronicles of the Imp" by Jeffery Farnol; "Day Before Yesterday" by Fred Jacob; "Barbed Wire" by Elizabeth Carfrae; "Money to Burn" by Peter B. Kyne; "The Carolinian" by Rafael Sabatini; "The Stolen Idol" by Frank Packard; "The Mating Call" by Rex Beach; "Daughter of the Sun" by Jackson Gregory; "The Big Mogul" by Joe C. Lincoln; "The Magnificent Ambersons" by Booth Tarkington; "The Seagull" by Kathleen Norris; "Justice of the Peace" by Frederick Niven; "The Morals of Marcus Ordway" and "The Mountebank" by W. J. Locke.
Several of these books are 1929 copyrights, while the remainder are selected reprints. All are very attractive readings. And we trust the library subscribers will take advantage of this opportunity.

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Radio—An Agency For Peace

The settings now being held by the Royal Commission on Radio appointed by the Dominion Government to study the whole question of broadcasting, and make report to the Government as to best policy for Canada to adopt in the national interests of the whole Dominion, is having the effect of directing attention from purely local and entertaining features of this latest of great modern discoveries and causing people to appreciate more fully the tremendous possibilities of aerial communication, both in a national and international sense.

While undoubtedly there is a feeling of regret in Canada that, because of natural causes, it is much easier for people in Western Canada to "listen in" on stations in the Central Western States than it is to "get" stations in Eastern Canada, and for Eastern Canadian listeners to receive the programmes broadcast from New York, Philadelphia, and other Eastern United States cities than it is for them to "tune in" on Western Canadian Stations—a condition for which it is hoped the present Radio Commission can find some solution, the fact remains that a closer community of interest between Canada and the United States, and consequently a still better understanding, is being developed by means of the radio. And community of interest and understanding is the greatest of all bulwarks to Peace.

But to many in this country it will come as a welcome surprise to learn of the great strides made by radio in Europe and the effect it is having in promoting greater understanding among the diverse nationalities and languages of that war-torn continent. It is almost inconceivable that within less than eleven years of the signing of the Armistice ending the Great War, the radio should be used in Germany and England to teach the people, not merely school children but adults, the French language; that international "hook-ups" of Germany, Poland, Austria, Hungary, France, and other countries are being regularly carried out, so that people in Paris and Warsaw can listen to German concerts in Berlin and Hamburg, and the German people can enjoy the opera in Paris, or a great symphony orchestra in Vienna or Budapest.

There are some good people in Canada who still retain the old fashioned idea that it is unpatriotic, and liable to undermine British institutions in this country, if children are taught in our schools to speak and read French, German, or any language but English. In entertaining such ideas Canadians are far behind the times; they are not nearly so far advanced as they are in England and other countries where the learning of foreign languages is compulsory. If every Canadian child, whether of British or French descent, was obliged to learn both English and French, Canada would in a generation become more powerful, influential and prosperous. It would open to our people the rich literature of both races; it would give us greater prestige among all nations; it would help to promote our export trade in the markets of the world. In this Canada, by reason of its two great races, has an opportunity no other nation enjoys, yet we are not only neglecting it, but many people urge that it would be disloyal to our British connection to encourage it. Yet Britain herself is doing it.

It is predicted that within three years, five years at the most, Canadians will, through the development of national broadcasting at home, and the use of the beam system of wireless across the ocean, be able to sit in their homes and "listen in" on the finest programmes in the world broadcast from London, Paris, Berlin, Vienna, and other European centres of culture, art and music.

We can now speak with Europe by telephone from the heart of Canada's prairies, and the day is fast approaching, so those in a position to know authoritatively state, when by radio we will be in more or less constant communication with Europe, receiving the best they have to offer in public addresses, vocal and instrumental music, and the important news of the day. In turn, Canada will be brought equally close to them. And, in all probability, "seeing" Europe and European happenings through the instrumentality of the radio will more or less rapidly follow "hearing"; just as, in reverse order, the "talking" picture has followed the silent movie.

And these things are all to the good, in the cause of world peace. As we know people and understand them our prejudices and suspicions are removed. We learn they are human just like ourselves; that they have high ideals and are inspired by lofty motives; that they love the things we love, and hate the unclean, the ugly, the vicious, just hate them. As we come to understand their problems, difficulties and aspirations, and they come to understand ours, mutual sympathy will develop, followed by a desire for co-operation, rather than antagonism.

It is only so, through mutual understanding, that permanent world peace can be maintained and the maximum of true progress be made.

Protecting Canada's Fisheries

Means Taken to Guard Against Depletion Of Fluffy Tribe
River and lake fisheries certainly, and sea fisheries probably, if left to

themselves, conform to the economic law of diminishing returns. The Canadian Government, accordingly, has had for a main object the prevention of depletion, the enforcement of close seasons, the forbidding of obstructions and pollutions, and the regulation of nets, gear and fishing operations generally. In addition, an extensive system of fish culture has been organized, the Dominion operating 25 main hatcheries, 6 subsidiary hatcheries, and 4 salmon retaining ponds in 1927.

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False Economy
There are not many people who would die of starvation rather than dig into their savings, but we often see men who do not know how to enjoy their money. They have by denying themselves the natural pleasures of life and in the end are forced to leave their money to people who never helped to earn it.

At 452 degrees below zero some metals, such as silver and copper, lose their resistance to electricity, becoming superconductors.

Simile—Her face was like five miles of detour.

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Measuring Lightning Flash

No Part Of It Ever Lasts For Appreciable Time

A lightning flash takes about one-thousandth of a second to complete itself and no part of it lasts more than approximately one-thirty-five-hundredth of a second. This is the first time in history that the speed of a lightning flash has been measured. It has also been proved that lightning starts from the clouds and the ground at nearly the same instant, and approximately one-seventh-thousandth of a second later the two ends unite in mid-air. These facts were determined by Dr. C. T. Boys, a British physicist, who has been attempting hundreds of photographs for the last twenty-six years, until a stroke of lightning in New York at last gave him this information.

Northern Air Ports

Settlements in Northern Manitoba To Have Air Mail Service

Manitoba's northern settlements of Oxford, Godland, and Island Lakes will be added to the growing chain of northern air mail points of call. Hon. P. J. Veniot, postmaster-general, announced in the House of Commons.

Mr. Veniot stated that arrangements had been completed for the conveyance of mail to and from these northern points once a week by aeroplanes of the government forestry patrol at Norway House, at the north end of Lake Winnipeg.

RHEUMATIC PAINS

Cannot Be Rubbed Out—The Trouble Must Be Treated Through the Blood

The pain of rheumatism is something that you cannot rub out. Every sufferer from rheumatism has been advised to rub this or that liniment or oil on the affected part, but after all the rubbing the pain remained. Thin blood and rheumatism come together. Blood that is properly treated will rub out. Rheumatism means thin blood, and thin blood is something that can be corrected, so why not build up the blood until the rheumatic poisons are driven out?

This is exactly what is done in treatment of rheumatism with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Rheumatism in any form shows improvement as the thin blood is built up, and when the poisons in the blood are overcome and driven out rheumatism disappears and does not return so long as the blood is kept rich and red. The great value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in the treatment of rheumatism is proved by the case of Mr. Thomas Martin, of Novar, Ont., who says: "For some years I was so badly troubled with rheumatism that I could hardly walk and suffered great pain. I had medical treatment but did not get much relief. Then I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and after taking the pills for some time the trouble disappeared and has not since shown the least sign of returning."

You can get these pills from your druggist, or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Pedigreed Hatching Eggs
A record shipment of pedigreed White Leghorn hatching eggs was made recently by the Poultry Breeders' Association of British Columbia to a hatchery at Petaluma, California. The shipment consisted of 36,000 eggs valued at \$5,000.



Illness Kept Her From Work

"I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound because I was so sick every month that I had to keep my bed for two days and I suffered so that I felt badly all the time. I had been working in a factory but for a long time was not able to work as I was so run-down and nervous. My friends told me of the Vegetable Compound. I am now sound and well and have gone back to work. I have a good appetite, my color is good and I am in good spirits."

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Attractions For Tourists

Vast Extent Of Canada Offers Visitors Interesting Holiday

Canada has a million square miles of forest, countless lakes and thousands of miles of rivers and brooks, providing the finest hunting, fishing, canoeing and camping. The vast extent of Canada and the diversity of conditions in different sections make it difficult for the prospective visitor who is not familiar with the country to decide which particular section interests him most. To overcome this the Department of the Interior has published "Vacations in Canada," a 96-page handbook which sets forth the attractions which Canada offers to tourists and sportsmen. This booklet describes the tourist attractions of each region in the Dominion—the climate, the motor roads, the points of historic interest, the fishing, hunting, canoeing and camping, the principal cities and the popular summer and winter resorts. In addition it gives a summary of the Canadian Customs regulations. "Vacations in Canada" is distributed without charge, from the Natural Resources Intelligence Service, Department of the Interior, at Ottawa.

Wins Oratorical Contest

Marceline Brunet, 17, of Norwood, Man., representing the French-speaking schools of the province, won the Manitoba oratorical contest the other day. She was opposed by ten entrants from English-speaking schools in the final match. Miss Brunet will represent Manitoba in the Canadian oratorical finals. She attended convent at St. Adolphe, Man.

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Health and Motor Accidents

Men with high blood pressure should use extraordinary care in driving automobiles, according to recent experiments conducted by psychologists of the personnel research federation. These experiments showed a definite relation between health and motor accidents. Men with high blood pressure were found to have more than twice as many accidents as those with normal pressure.

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Could Not Sleep Heart Would Start Pumping and Pounding

Mrs. Fred P. Averill, 136-12th Ave., Calgary, Alta., writes: "I was bothered so much with my heart I could not sleep. I would wake up in the night screaming, and my heart would start pumping and pounding. A neighbor lady told me to try



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Grain Commission Discovers Many Matters That Should Be Rectified To Good Advantage

The appointment of the Saskatchewan Commission of Inquiry was the result of accumulating complaints and of a combination of circumstances last fall. Wheat was down in price, the yield and quality of the grain in a large part of Saskatchewan had suffered on account of frost, and there was stricter grading with a view to protecting the reputation of Canadian wheat in the export market. Increasing complaints culminated in a demand for the reorganization of the Board of Grain Commissioners, and the same demand was heard in Alberta and Manitoba. With a view to getting the facts and clearing up the situation as far as possible, the Saskatchewan Government appointed the commission of inquiry.

There have been many commissions appointed by the provincial and federal governments to investigate the handling of the grain. They have all suggested improvements and an incidental result has been the education of the farmers on the grain question through reading the evidence taken and the reports made by the commissions. While there may be a great deal of misunderstanding among some of the farmers, there are others who have an intelligent grasp of their own business that is not surpassed by that of the farmers of any other country. Improvements in the methods and system of handling the grain are, also, constantly discussed by the committee on agriculture at Ottawa, and a great deal has been done in past years toward protecting the interests of the farmers.

The present commission in its interim report, finds many minor matters that it thinks should be rectified, and it entirely agrees with the complaint of the farmers that the Grain Board is too far removed from them. The Board is given credit for good service in many ways, and it is recognized that it has hampered by the conditions under which it was working. Under the Grain Act, its headquarters were at Fort William, and it had an inadequate staff of inspectors to deal with complaints throughout the West. It is suggested that whether a board of three commissioners could properly cover so wide a field. The commission recommends the enlarging of the board, the locating of the head office wherever the board thinks best, and the maintenance of offices at Fort William and Vancouver and in each of the Prairie Provinces, with enough inspectors to deal adequately with complaints. The personal factor in the supervision of the handling of the grain is stressed by the commission. It urges the selection of well-qualified men for the Grain Board, with the Chief Commissioner a man of outstanding ability. Increasing the remuneration of inspectors to prevent so many being drawn off by the pools and by private companies, thus lowering the efficiency of the staff, is recommended. And it is proposed that elevator agents throughout the West should be licensed, with power to the Grain Board to cancel licenses, in order to have better assurance of the competence and reliability of the men receiving the grain at the elevators. The report states that while most of the agents are satisfactory, there are some who are not, and should not be engaged for the work.

The report says that the farmers are not satisfied that they feel that they would get a better price for their grain but for what happens to it after it leaves their hands. The report also says that the farmers are not getting the fullest return possible for their product.

The Committee on Agriculture at Ottawa, which has been discussing the grain question for weeks, particularly grading and mixing, will re-

ceive this report of the Saskatchewan Commission, and some of its recommendations at least will doubtless be included in their report to Parliament and result in legislation that will better protect the interests of the farmers and remove some of the cause of complaint.—Manitoba Free Press.

Solved Housing Problem

Missouri College Student Finds Moveable Home Very Convenient. John Davenport, of Mercer, Mo., wanted to go to college but didn't have the money to pay room rent, so he built his own home and moved it to Trenton so that he could attend junior college there. When he has completed his two-year course he will move his little house to Columbia and finish his college education at the University.

When Davenport wants to "move" his little twenty-five foot house, he pulls twenty-five foot bolts and the house is ready to be picked up on a truck. He can rebuild in six hours. He plans to settle outside the city limits, or wherever he can find the cheapest site. The house is a one-room affair, heated by a little coal stove. John cooks his own meals on a three-burner oil stove.

He gets his supplies from the store-room of home-canned vegetables and fruits at home. He uses his Ford car to transport the food. The windows are large and neatly curtained. The furniture is adequate, but meagre. The little shelter is electrically lighted.



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Peace River Land For Homesteading

Former Forest Reserve Near B.C. Boundary To Be Thrown Open

About 6,000 homesteads or approximately 1,000,000 acres in the Grande Prairie District, Peace River, Alberta, and in the Peace River Block in British Columbia will shortly be thrown open for entry, according to information reaching the Colonization Department of the Canadian National Railways here. This area includes land formerly held as forestry reserves lying between the sixth meridian and the British Columbia boundary line and bounded on the north by the south line of township 81 and on the south by the Wapiti River. An additional area will also be surveyed and thrown open to homesteading. It is expected that entry may be made for some of these lands by about April 15th.

Canada, with one tenth of the world's coal deposits, is in an enviable position, according to Sir Arthur Duckham, head of the British mission to Australia on Empire Trade.

The Girl: "What is your opinion of those girls who imitate men?"
The Man: "They're idiots."
The Initiation is perfect, eh?"

KING AND QUEEN AT BOGNOR



During a band concert given in front of Craigville House, near Bognor, the King took occasion to walk down to the seashell to say a few words to the crowd collected there. The loud cheers that greeted him were interspersed with shouted good wishes for his further recovery. That both the King and Queen were delighted by the welcome accorded them may be surmised from the smiles seen in this picture which is one of the first to show the King walking after his long illness.

Forty Million Hens

The Enormous Production Of Eggs In Canada

Canadian poultry flocks are estimated to include about forty million hens from which the enormous egg production of the country is obtained. By actual test many of these hens lay very few eggs or none at all, while many others make creditable records by producing upwards of three hundred eggs in a year. The use of the trap nest is throwing much light on the actual performance of hens.

For nine years the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa has been operating a policy known as Record of Performance for Poultry, whereby yearly egg laying records have been kept for an increasing number of birds. Since the work began 362,875 birds had been trapped up to the end of November, last year. The work has been increasing from year to year until 288 flock owners entered birds last year. This was an increase of thirty-six breeders and 5,883 birds over the previous year.

The birds when entered are numbered with leg bands, and those that lay 150 eggs or over, qualify for Record of Performance certificates, those that lay 225 eggs or over, qualify for advanced certificates. In either case the eggs must weigh not less than two ounces each, and have been laid within a twelve month period. Through the distribution of eggs and breeding stock from the Record of Performance flocks, the egg laying qualities of the flocks of the country are being built up. The gain thus made is regarded as almost clear gain because production is increased without the necessity of increasing the number of hens kept.

The report of the Record of Performance work carried on by the live stock branch of the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa, for last year is an interesting document and one of great value to egg farmers who may be looking for hatching eggs or breeding stock with which to improve their flocks. This report for last year, numbered 8, is available at the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa.

A Lesson In Honesty

A little boy had been reported to his father for stealing apples from the stall outside a fruiterer's shop, and the parent was pointing out the evils of theft.

"My boy," he said, "you must have known that it is dishonest to steal. And, in any case, didn't your conscience tell you the man was watching?"

Boys: "I suppose you've noticed we have a dozen rather pretty stenographers here?"
Applicant: "Er—no, sir."
Boss: "Get out—I won't hire a liar."

Number Of Titled Canadians Is Found To Be Now Approaching Vanishing Point

The Problem Of Weeds

Weeds Drive Farms Into Abandonment In Some Sections

Farm weeds have for many years menaced the growing of farm crops. Indeed there are parts of Canada in both the older settled districts of Ontario and the prairie lands of the West where weeds have become so prevalent as to drive farms into abandonment. To study the question of weeds from an economic standpoint, the division of botany of the experimental farms have conducted a survey over most of Eastern Canada, including the province of Ontario, and has made a report of the work accomplished in the report of the Dominion Botanist for 1927. In all a little more than 600 species of weeds and poisonous plants have been discovered and their habitat located. Fifty of the worst of these are listed in the report, which is published by the Department of Agriculture, at Ottawa, in the order of their prevalence. In concluding his report on the weed survey, the Dominion botanist points out that even in the newer sections of the country weeds have been found to be a limiting factor in crop production, justifying great measures of control to avoid increasing trouble in future years.

Making Scientific Hay

Another Use To Which Electricity Is Being Directed

Making hay without sunshine is one of the 200 uses of electricity developed by Horace Harkness, pioneer in the application of electricity to the uses of agriculture. He has an "electro farm" of 600 acres in Sussex, England, and intends launching a scheme for rural electrification of Lincolnshire over an area of 1,280 square miles, with a capital of \$50,000,000 for which he has been granted a special order by the electricity commission.

It is thus convinced that the farmers of Lincolnshire are keen to develop the use of electricity, examples of which he quotes as electric threshing, electric plowing, electric churning and use of ultra-violet rays for poultry and pigs.

Muskoxy Sanctuary

15,000 Acres Set Aside To Preserve Almost Extinct Species

A 15,000 acre sanctuary for the almost extinct muskoxy is being mapped out in the Territory, east of Great Slave Lake by W. H. Goare, explorer of the North West Territories, and Warden J. A. Knox. For Smith. They have already completed an examination and survey of the southern portion of the proposed preserve having begun this work last April. Muskoxy have been seen in the district, so Mr. Goare reports, and also large herds of caribou.

Record Price For Calf

Boy Sells Calf At Calgary Spring Livestock Show For \$2,429

A record price was established at the recent Calgary spring live stock show when the first calf in the boys' and girls' calf feeding competition sold for three dollars a pound. This calf, an Aberdeen Angus, shown by Harold Richardson, of Bowden, Alberta, was an outstanding winner in its class. It was purchased by \$940 pounds, brought its young owner the handsome return of \$2,520.

The Rector Courtious

For years a bitter feud had existed between the Browns and the Robinsons. The trouble started through the depredations of Brown's cat, and had grown so fixed an affair that neither party ever dreamed of "making it up." One day, however, Brown sent his maid next door with a peace-making note for Mrs. Robinson, which read:

"Mr. Brown sends his compliments to Mr. Robinson, and begs to say that his old cat died this morning." Robinson's reply was bitter:

"Mr. Robinson is sorry to hear of Mr. Brown's trouble, but he had not heard that Mrs. Brown was ill."

Angry Passenger—What good are the figures set down in these railway time tables?

Genial Stationmaster—Why, if it weren't for them figures we'd have no way of finding out how late the trains are.

Nitroglycerine, the powerful explosive, is also one of the most potent heart stimulants known.

The number of titled Canadians is gradually diminishing. Slowly and inexorably time is rounding off the work which the Canadian parliament began in the spring of 1918, and eventually, save for descendants of the few hereditary peers resident in this country, a generation in the not remote future will see Canada completely divested of men upon whom the sovereign had conferred titular distinctions.

Knighthood has not flowered in the Dominion for more than 10 years. And only a few weeks ago the House of Commons gave emphasis again to their resolve that within the lifetime of the present parliament at least, there was little prospect of Canada's return to titles.

In 1918 Canada was represented in the peerage by eight persons; of baronets and knights there were in all 95. Since then 10 titles were conferred on soldiers and military administrators, bringing the total to 113. In the present year of grace Canada's representation among the peers of the realm has been reduced to five barons; there are eight baronets and 71 knights—a total of 84 and a diminution of 29 in the past decade.

These figures are recalled by the recent debate in the House of Commons when the effort was made to reopen the question of titles. C. H. Cahan, Conservative member for St. Lawrence-St. George, Montreal, sponsored a resolution which would have had the whole matter made the subject of enquiry by a parliamentary committee. Explaining his purpose, Mr. Cahan said it was desirable to remove the anomaly which arose from the fact that while in 1918 parliament banned the bestowal of titles on Canadians by His Britannic Majesty the same inhibition did not extend to foreign sovereigns. Out of this had developed the curious situation of alien monarchs exercising with respect to Canadians a prerogative denied to King George himself.

Mr. Cahan's resolution had the support of Premier W. L. Mackenzie King and Hon. R. B. Bennett, leader of the opposition. But in spite of this the rank and file of House of Commons voted overwhelmingly against it and for the time being the "satus quo" was maintained.

The abolition of titles in Canada was one of the first springing of the Union government, following the khaki election of 1917. It was on April 8, 1918, that W. F. Nickle, Union member for Kingston, first introduced his famous resolution for the abolition of titles. He was after by graciously pleased to refrain from conferring hereditary titles upon his subjects domiciled or living in Canada. Extreme democrats were aghast at this; they thought the resolution was not sufficiently watertight. A champion arose in the person of the late R. L. Richardson, another Unionist from Springfield, N.B., better known as "Fighting Bob" of the Winnipeg Tribune. Mr. Richardson moved to eliminate the word "hereditary," thus placing a ban on titles of any sort.

It was at this stage that the then Prime Minister, Sir Robert Borden, intervened. To the amazement of the House of Commons, he announced that on March 25—two weeks prior to the introduction of the Nickle resolution—the government had passed an order-in-council which had been submitted to the British Colonial Secretary. This requested "that no honor or titular distinction (having those granted in recognition of military service during the present war or ordinarily bestowed by the sovereign 'proprio motu') shall be conferred upon a subject of His Majesty resident in Canada, except with the approval and advice of the Prime Minister of Canada."

Sir Robert made the matter one of confidence. The debate was warm, for many arose to defend this ancient institution. One of its severest critics, however, was Sir William Laurier himself. The aged Liberal chieftain said: "I am quite prepared, if we can do it without any disrespect to the Crown of England, to bring our titles to the marketplace and make a bonfire of them."

She-I have something, dear, I would like to speak to you about.

He—I'm glad of that. As a rule you want to speak of something you haven't got.

Farmer A—Have you finished plowing the ten-acre field?

Farmer B—Yes.

Farmer A—Then you can attend to the harrowing details.



"You are top of your class, no tell me what that is?"
"It is a capital S," says Gales, Yeorden."

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TO POSTPONE DISCUSSION OF NAVAL PROBLEM

Geneva.—Complete agreement has been reached by the big five naval powers to refrain from detailed examination of the naval problem at the present session of the preparatory conference, it was learned here in responsible circles.

The question of reduction of the fleets as a supplement to the Washington naval treaty will be adjourned to a date which will be left undecided. Meantime, the five powers will continue conversations on the naval problem. The form of these conversations was understood to be not yet determined, but would presumably be exchange of notes between the five nations.

These may possibly develop into a meeting of experts from Great Britain, the United States, Japan, France and Italy.

The main theme of these conversations will be the American suggestion for agreement on the formula for estimating the equivalent tonnage of cruisers, destroyers and submarines by considering such factors as age, units, displacement and calibre of guns.

It was understood that Japan in particular, the most distant of the five countries from Geneva, wants ample time to study the American ideas, which are understood to be received by the powers generally with favor.

Tribute To Wheat Pool

Reference Made To A. J. McPhail In United States Senate

Washington.—Running through much of the discussion of the farm relief bill in the Senate are references to the Canadian Wheat Pool and its workings, explained recently before the Senate committee on Agriculture by A. J. McPhail, of Regina, head of the Pool. It was frequently pointed out in the debate that the stabilization corporations under the pending farm relief bill are expected to function much as the great co-operative pool of Canada functions.

Senator Norbeck, of South Dakota, prominent member of the Senate committee on agriculture, paid high tribute in a speech recently to Mr. McPhail. Senator Norbeck said Mr. McPhail was sincere and careful in his statements. He emphasized, however, that the Canadian Pool had not brought Canadian wheat farmers a very large increase in prices.

Senator Norbeck, in summing up, said Mr. McPhail stated frankly that the big result of the Canadian wheat pool was the better spirit of co-operation that had been developed among the farmers. He did not count the small additional price they had secured as the most prominent reward.

Canada Had Good Year

League Review Shows Dominion Enjoying Unprecedented Prosperity

Geneva.—"Canada enjoyed a year of unprecedented prosperity," says the Review of Economic Conditions in 1928, issued by the League of Nations, as a basis of the work of the consultative economic committee.

North America, the report continues, it seems probable was the continent where trade developed most rapidly. The United States not only maintained its position of the world's leading commercial country but increased its excess of exports over imports.

Need Coal Agreement

Geneva.—The economic committee of the League of Nations, which has made exhaustive investigation of the world crisis in the coal industry, reported that international agreements between producers concerning output and markets must be made if there is to be hope for improvement. A similar conclusion was recently reached by experts on the sugar situation.

Loyalty Of Acadians

Ottawa, Ont.—In replying to the criticisms leveled against him in the House of Commons, Hon. Peter Veniot, in a spirited speech dwelt on the loyalty of the Acadians of which he was one, to the British crown. He did so, he said, because his loyalty had been attested by certain newspapers.

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Rioting In Berlin

Communists Suffer Casualties In May Day Battle

Berlin.—Communists in an attempt to "conquer the streets" for May Day, caused an ugly riot in the working class quarter in northern Berlin. They created barricades, using street repair material, and held off police with rifle and pistol fire until armored cars forced the obstructions and enabled the authorities to clear out the surrounding houses.

At midnight the casualties for the day had mounted to eight dead and 78 seriously wounded. Hundreds of others suffered bruises from missiles or policemen's clubs.

The rioters erected barricades in the main thoroughfare of the Pankestrasse and its side streets. The police charged them repeatedly with batons until the commanding officer realized that his force was too weak for these tactics and ordered his men to open fire. Then armored cars were brought up by the police and finally captured the barricade.

Opening Canadian Legation In Tokio

Hon. Herbert Marier Will Take Up Duties As Minister

Ottawa, Ont.—It has been announced from the department of external affairs that Hon. Herbert Marier, before undertaking his duties as Canadian minister to Japan, is making a short visit to England.

In the meantime, arrangements are being made for opening the Canadian legation in Tokyo. Mr. Hugh L. Keenleyside will be appointed first secretary and Charge d'Affaires until Mr. Marier's arrival in Japan, and James A. Langley, Canadian trade commissioner in Japan, will also act as commercial secretary of the legation. A third appointment will be made during the summer.

Dr. Keenleyside was born in Toronto, but has resided from an early age in Vancouver. He is a graduate of the University of British Columbia and of Clark University, Iyemasa Tokugawa has been appointed by the Japanese government as its representative at Ottawa.

Canadian Press Meeting

Officers Are Elected At Annual Gathering In Toronto

Toronto.—The annual meetings of the board of directors and the members of the Canadian Press, the co-operative news association of the daily newspapers of Canada, extended over three days, was concluded by the election of officers for the year as follows:

Honorary president, E. Norman Smith, Ottawa Journal; president, John Scott, managing director of the Toronto Mail and Empire; first vice-president, M. E. Nichols, Winnipeg Tribune; second vice-president, Henri Gagnon, Quebec Le Soleil.

J. F. B. Livesey, continues as general manager and secretary. With a view to giving increased representation to the French language, daily newspapers of Quebec and also to the western provinces, the annual meeting enlarged the board of directors from 15 to 21.

Italian Arrested For Killing Chancellor

Assassinate Official When Application For Documents Was Refused

Brussels, Belgium.—While walking along a street, Alfonso Arena, chancellor of the Italian legation in Luxembourg, was shot and killed.

His assassin, who was arrested, was an Italian cobbler, named Gino, 29 years of age, a native of Massa Carrara, who recently settled in Luxembourg. He had applied to the legation for certain documents, but his application was refused.

World's Largest Cattle Team

Harlowton, Mont.—The biggest cattle yoke ever made in the Northwest is too small for what is considered the largest cattle team in the world. That was the discovery made by Guy Howard after he completed a seven-foot yoke. Now he's engaged in making a 10-foot yoke which he believes will "git" the team. The cattle together weigh 7,000 pounds.

Punished For Native's Death

Pretoria, South Africa.—For the first time in many years a white farmer was hanged for injuring a native. Jack Nafte, who tied a native employee head downward by the legs from a tree and lashed him so severely that he subsequently died, was sentenced to hang on years at hard labor and the farmer received ten lashes in the Pretoria jail.

CENSURE MOTION IS DEFEATED BY MAJORITY OF 24

Ottawa.—The House of Commons defeated another wave of confidence motion involving censure of the postmaster-general. This time the amendment, which, like its predecessor, was moved by H. A. Stewart, Conservative member for Leeds, was defeated by 24 votes.

It was a general amendment declaring that "the administration of the post office department by the present postmaster-general has been characterized by inefficiency, disregard of the provisions of the civil service act, the post office act and other statutory authority, and merits the disapproval of this House." Mr. Stewart's former amendment, moved a few days ago, involved censure of the postmaster-general in connection with the appointment of a postmaster at Simcoe, Ont., it was defeated by 27 votes.

In the division today, the Conservatives carried with them in support of the amendment the majority of members of the U.F.A. group in the House, Liberals and Liberal-Progressives united in opposition to the amendment.

Votes recorded in favor of the amendment numbered 68, and against, 92.

In moving his amendment Mr. Stewart said facts had been brought out which had started the country. The whole background of the matter was the civil service commission, and the attitude of the postmaster thereto. From October 1, 1926, to February 1, 1928, the postmaster-general has dismissed 98 postmasters, and from February, 1928, to April, 1929, eight more dismissals had been made.

In 32 cases of appointments by the commission, rejections had been made by Mr. Veniot. In some cases returned soldiers had been rejected in favor of civilians. He had dismissed for petty shortages men and women of the postal department all over Canada, but in the case of an inspector who it was shown had taken funds improperly, Mr. Veniot had not only increased his salary, but had given him an higher responsibility in office. The postmaster-general had impaired the efficiency of the civil service commission, and his attitude toward it was akin to contempt.

In reply, Mr. Veniot declared Mr. Stewart had omitted to point out in what way his administration was inefficient, or in what manner he had violated the civil service or any other act.

It was charged, he added, that he had discharged certificates issued by the civil service commission. That was correct. But he had done so only for valid reasons, and was given authority to do so by the act. He had only done his duty, said the postmaster-general, as head of the postal service of Canada.

There had been charges which questioned his loyalty. These were unjust, Mr. Veniot said.

Would Welcome Naval Reduction

Tokio.—It was learned here that Count N. Saiko, Japanese delegate to the preparatory commission on disarmament at Geneva, had been instructed to agree to a proposal whereby a sub-committee would be formed by delegates from the five leading powers to consider proposals of the United States delegate, Hon. Hugh S. Gibson, for broad naval reduction.

WESTERN PILOT



Louis Burka, a student with long hair, wearing a suit and tie, is shown in a portrait. He is identified as the first woman pilot in Western Canada to take a passenger up in an aeroplane.

Plan Second Air Derby

Winnipeg and St. Paul Will Stage Event This Month

St. Paul, Minn.—The second international air derby from St. Paul to Winnipeg was set for May 24 and 25. More than 25 planes are expected to enter this race, according to Julius Perit, aviation secretary of the St. Paul Association. The derby will be held in conjunction with the Canadian aviation meet and aircraft exhibition to be held in Winnipeg on the same dates.

The derby will leave St. Paul, May 24, and will arrive in Winnipeg the following day. The route is expected to take in Fargo and Grand Forks, N.D.

Announcement of the date of the derby was made following the visit to St. Paul of several members of the Winnipeg Flying Club on a good-will tour to arouse interest in their air carnival.

The first air derby from St. Paul was staged last May as a good-will tour to Winnipeg.

Aviators Found Dead

Two Australians Meet Fate In Search For Lost Southern Cross

Brisbane, N.S.W.—Suffering agony from thirst and exhausted by desperate efforts to take off from the ragged ground where they landed, Robert Hiltchcock and Lieut. Keith Anderson of the aeroplane Kookaburra died some time either on or after April 12.

The grim story of the fate of the two men who had taken part in the search for the aeroplane Southern Cross, was revealed in the notes of a diary scrawled on the rudder of their plane.

First definite news of the death of the men came with the report from a land party that had made its way over the rough country to the stranded rescue plane.

Miner's Fund Closed

London, Eng.—The Lord Mayor's fund for distressed miners, was closed after it had reached \$4,251,900. To this amount the government pound-for-pound grant must be added. The total amount for relief will therefore be \$8,430,000.

Postpones Long Flight

Berlin.—Captain Heilmann Koebl, noted German trans-Atlantic flier, told the Associated Press that his projected flight to the United States with Col. James Fitzmaurice, could not be expected this year and possibly not for another two years.



Tynside Trainees

Immigrants from Great Britain arriving on board the Canadian Pacific liner "Duchess of Richmond" at Saint John on that vessel's first voyage to Canada. The men, who hail from Tynside, have all been trained in Canadian farming methods under the British Minister of Labor, in co-operation with the Canadian Pacific Railway. They are destined for all parts of Canada.

Battle With Bandits

Detroit Policeman Shoots Assaults In Attempted Hold-Up In Ontario

London, Ont.—Shot in the stomach, Robert Schacht, alleged bandit, aged 29, Windsor taxi driver, and formerly of Yorkton, Sask., died on the highway, following an attempted hold-up of D. McLellan, a Detroit policeman and his wife, who were motoring on a holiday. Leo Derosech, 19, Ford City, Ont., was shot in the hip and lies in a London hospital under guard. A third bandit got away in the darkness.

On a crime cruise in a stolen car, Schacht and his companions crowded McLellan's car into the ditch. Schacht ordered the Detroit policeman to hand over his money. He picked the wrong man. McLellan for an answer slipped out a 32 revolver and fired twice from the hip. Schacht dropped to the road mortally wounded, along with Derosech. The third bandit picked up Schacht and half carrying him, vanished into the darkness.

Prairies Not Represented

Have No Men On This Year's Bisley Team

Ottawa.—The personnel of the Canadian Bisley team has been announced from the office of the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association. There are five Toronto men on the team this year, Ottawa comes second with three, while Victoria and Vancouver have two each.

Five riflemen, including two from Hamilton, who won places on the team, have been selected to accept the five next in order in the Bisley aggregate, fired during the D.C.R.A. matches last August, will go in their stead. The team sails from Montreal on the S.S. Montreal on June 12 and will be inspected the day previous.

Those who made the team, but who found it impossible to accept, included Sergt. H. W. Burton, Victoria.

FAVOR PRINCIPLE OF INSURANCE FOR UNEMPLOYED

Ottawa.—The principle of insurance against unemployment, sickness and invalidity is accepted and endorsed by the special committee of Parliament on industrial and international relations in a report presented by its chairman, Cameron R. Macintosh, Liberal, North Battleford, in the House of Commons. The insurance should not be based on compulsory contributions derived from the state, employer and employees, the report states.

The report continues: "Your committee recognizes that, while it is highly desirable that such legislation should be uniform in all the provinces, and while social insurance has a federal aspect, nevertheless, according to the department of justice, under our constitutional legislative jurisdiction in relation to the establishment of a compulsory system of unemployment insurance is vested exclusively in the provincial legislatures."

Yorks, Ont., states that the provinces, on being consulted by the department of labor with regard to their attitude towards the establishment of a general scheme, do not appear to be prepared to take immediate action.

"Under these circumstances, your committee submits the following recommendations: (a)—That with regard to sickness insurance, the department of pensions and national health be requested to initiate a comprehensive survey of the field of public health, with special reference to a national health program. In this, it is believed that it would be possible to secure the co-operation of the provincial and municipal health departments, as well as the organized medical profession.

(b)—That in the forthcoming census, provision should be made for the securing of the fullest possible data regarding the extent of unemployment and sickness; and that this should be compiled and published as early a date as possible.

(c)—That the federal government be requested to bring the subject matter of this reference before the next federal-provincial conference; and your committee suggests, when the agenda for such a conference is arranged that the provincial governments be invited to send representatives of the employer and employee to discuss the subject matter of this report."

REQUIRE LARGER VESSELS FOR THE BAY ROUTE

Ottawa.—Adopting the annual report of the Canadian government merchant marine, the parliament committee on railways and shipping canvassed the whole of the government's shipping activities.

A suggestion by Hon. H. H. Stevens, Conservative, Vancouver Centre, that Sir Henry Thornton, president of the company, address himself to the task of reconstructing the finances of the C.G.M.M. with a view to eliminating the deadweight losses of the company after year met with Sir Henry's approval.

He was giving that matter his consideration, he said. Hon. C. A. Dunning, minister of railways, asked if Mr. Stevens would support such a project if it were brought down by the government next year, and Mr. Stevens replied in the affirmative.

The commercial value of the Hudson Bay was discussed, but Sir Henry was opposed to Mr. Stevens' suggestion that the smaller boats of the company be put on that route in the beginning in order to demonstrate its feasibility. Mr. Dunning felt that in order to give the route a real "try-out" it would have to be done with vessels better equipped than the government's steamers. He was confident however, that when everything was ready a proper trial would be given.

So far as the feasibility of the route was concerned, this had been demonstrated by the department of railways and canals whose ships had constantly gone into Hudson Bay. Mr. Dunning, expounding on the advantage of the route, cited how one ship, not belonging to the C.G.M.M., had loaded 3,000,000 feet of lumber at Vancouver, had come via the Panama Canal, and discharged its cargo at Churchill. An analysis of the costs showed that it was cheaper to transport the lumber in that way than to bring it in by rail from Vancouver to Churchill, even if the railway had then been laid to Churchill.

When the port was ready to ship grain, the local business would be carried to, said Mr. Dunning. The situation was unique. Most ports had grown, like Topsy, but this one had been made.

Canoe Trip Across Canada

Two Montreal Youths Commence Journey From Vancouver

Vancouver.—Paul Paquin and Richard Lesage, two Montreal youths, started out canoe on what they hope will be a canoe trip across Canada. Their 16-foot canoe was laden with camp equipment and men's place as they pushed off from the recreation pier at English Bay to the farewells of a crowd which had gathered to wish them "bon voyage."

The canoeists plan to travel up the Fraser River to Lytton and from there up the Thompson River to Sicamous, as the first part of their trip. They expect to reach Halifax in seven months.

'Plane Races Thousand Miles To Hospital

Carried Woman Critically Ill From Alaska To Seattle

Seattle, Wash.—Ending a one thousand mile race against death, the aeroplane Janeneu landed here with Mrs. Peter Kostromitnoff, of Sitka, Alaska. A waiting ambulance rushed the woman, who was in a critical condition from septic poisoning, to hospital. The woman was brought in the plane from her Sitka home to Seattle when physicians said she had no chance of living unless afforded expert treatment and hospital facilities such as were unavailable in Alaska.

China's Name For Hoover

Peking.—President Herbert Hoover has been given a new and more honorable name by the Chinese press since his assumption of the Presidency. The old name was "Hua-wa," and had no special meaning. The new name "Ho-hwa," contains the character for Buddha, and is extremely "honorable." Both names are an attempt to reproduce Mr. Hoover's name into Chinese characters.

Hon. R. B. Bennett Bereaved

Vancouver.—Mrs. H. Weldon Coates, wife of Dr. H. Weldon Coates, and sister of Hon. R. B. Bennett, leader of the Conservative party in Canada, died at her home here following a long illness.

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Donald's heart heaved for this man, whose great love for his wife was as passionate at this moment as when she was living. "How he loved her!" he thought.

When Walnwright spoke again his voice was spiritless. "You are the first person to whom I have spoken of my past; even Constance does not know." As he turned to leave Donald gripped his hand in silence, but with a pressure eloquent of heart-felt sympathy.

Andy had noticed Donald's increasing interest in Constance and had been refrained from accompanying him on his nightly visits. On this particular night Donald came into the kitchen whistling a lively air, his face wreathed in smiles. He slipped Andy heartily about the back as he asked him for a hunch. His gaze was so pronounced that Andy studied him closely.

"You look 'appy, Donnie," he remarked. "I am, Andy; I'm the happiest man in the world."

He finished eating, then sat staring dreamily at the smoke of his cigarette as it circled about his head. Andy discussed lightly on various subjects, but Donald did not seem to hear him. After he left, Andy heard him singing merrily in his cabin.

"Strike me pink, but I do 'ope Donnie has waked up! What a pair, what a pair!" he said to himself. In the morning Donald rode north on the gas-car to the scene of logging operations near the upper lake. He left orders with the men to bring Walnwright's baggage to the station. What Constance's absence would mean was brought forcibly to him as he met the trapper leading Pegasus and her pet deer down the trail to his cabin.

Two hours later Constance and her father stood on the station platform. Constance was dressed in an inconspicuous blue suit, and wore a neat blue hat with a jaunty feather. Her golden hair was piled high in loops and coils that held a sheen of brightness like the shine of metal when the sun touched it. She appeared mystified and confused as the time for the train to pull out drew near. Andy, standing by her side, cursed softly as he saw her looking toward the mill, a look of poignant disappointment in her eyes.

"Donald 'ad to go up the line, Constance; guess something 'as 'appened," he murmured. At that moment Donald was keeping opprobrium on a recalcitrant gas-car that had died on his hands. The conductor called "All aboard!" Constance turned to Andy. "Good-bye, Andy," she said sweetly, her eyes swimming with tears.

"Andy took her gloved hand. 'Good-bye, Constance,' he said, then attempting a brave smile. 'When are you coming back?'"

"Maybe never," she choked as she stumbled up the car steps.

"As the train started to move Constance came to the lower platform. A small, pathetic figure she looked to Andy as she strained her eyes toward the north in a vain hope that she would see Donald. Andy stood in the centre of the track waving his hat until the flutter of Constance's little handkerchief vanished around a curve.

As the train roared through the cut, the last view of her loved valley flashed before her eyes. Her face strangely white, she clung to the brass rail and gazed with tearful eyes, at the only home she had ever known.

As they passed the trapper's cabin, the notes of the rubbing train sent Pegasus galloping madly about the pasture. With flying hoofs that tore up the sod he circled around the field, then came to the fence and with his beautiful head held high on the arched neck he looked with startled eyes at the speeding train.

With a gesture intensely eloquent, Constance flung out her arms. "Good-bye, Peggy! Good-bye!" she found her way to a seat and covered her face with her hands.

Donald flung himself from the gas-car before it had ceased moving. "Train gone, Andy?" he shouted.

Andy stood with arms folded. "Gone!" he yelled. "Of course it's gone. Why in 'ell wasn't you 'ere?"

"I had to go up the line to look over some logs, and the car broke down," replied Donald bitterly.

"Of course," Andy with withering

carcasm, "the timber 'couldn't 'ave waited another day." "Andy," asked Donald excitedly, ignoring the remark, "did Constance leave you her address?" "Why the 'ell should she give me 'er address? 'Avent you 'er address?" was Andy's unaccommodating reply.

"No, I haven't, I know that they are going to England, and that is all."

Donald sat down dejectedly. Andy's face "softened." "Do you like Constance?" he queried.

"Like her? I love her. In that case I don't see 'ow she didn't let you know where to find her," puzzled Andy.

"She doesn't know that I care for her," said Donald gloomily.

Andy's mouth opened. He nuzzled Donald by the shoulder. "Do you mean to tell me that you let that girl get away from you without letting 'er know that you wanted 'er?" he demanded incredulously.

"Strike me 'sunder," said Andy, "of all the blinkey muffs in the 'ere world—you—you—!" Speech failed him for a moment. "You let that dear little girl go away broken-hearted."

"Andy," interrupted Donald eagerly, "do you think Constance cares for me?"

For a moment, as he looked into his friend's face, Andy was tempted to tell him of the scene after his fight with Hand. But the promise to Constance sealed his lips.

"Ow the 'ell should I know?" he murmured. "But," he added with fine sarcasm, "if I were to win ten cents a cubic foot you'd be a multi-millionaire, you blinkey pie-eyed nincompoop—you—you—!" He clapped a tragic hand to his brow. "You give me a 'eadache," and muttering to himself, he trudged up the hill.

The next day Donald went to Vancouver. He scanned the registers in hotels, inquired at docks and depots, but no trace of the Walnwrights could be found. He walked the streets with a forlorn hope that he might meet them. The hearts of many slender golden-haired girls were set fluttering that day as a tall, handsome young man subjected them to a close scrutiny.

Two days later he returned to the lake. That night he switched off the light and sat by the open window looking out on a night of stars, with a new moon making a ghostly light on the lake. An owl's mournful hoot was answered by the uncanny cry of a heron. The faint sighing sound of streams in distant gorges became a haunting chorus to the duet. He thought of Constance's cabin up the mountain, now cold and dark. How he would miss her! What an idiot he had been not to have known long ago that he loved her. He knew now that he had loved her from the first. Dear little Constance!

Donald walked the floor until midnight. Once in bed, he tossed restlessly until the early morning, then fell into fitful sleep in which he dreamed of a small, winsome face and big blue eyes surrounded by a wealth of golden hair.

September with its days of mellow sunshine passed. October brought heavy frost frosts that covered the earth with a robe of diaphanous, white formed ice in the small pools and marshes. Winter comes early in the mountains. In mid-winter the valleys between the peaks of the Coast Range will have five feet of snow, when a few hundred feet below, where the warm waters of the Pacific lap the gentle slopes, the grass is green and there is none of the chilly whiteness that mantles the towering hills above.

There came a day in November when the air held a solemn stillness. The firs and pines pointed straight to the sky without a quiver in their branches. The brown earth seemed to say, "I am ready." The cry of the loon in it had a dreary sound, a note which seemed to say that winter was coming. Squirrels working in the tops of big pines increased their efforts. The cones, nipped off by their sharp teeth fell patting to the ground, to be gathered by the busy little workers and secreted in their nests in hollow trees. The bear of the hillsides ate the frozen berry or the pulp of rotten log to cleanse its stomach before starting its long winter sleep in windfall or cave. Thus does Nature give to the wild things of the forest an instinct unknown to man.

The rush of wings rounded high in the air as the birds poised to pivot their flight on their yearly pilgrimage to the south. Occasionally a flock would lower in gradually narrowing circles to land with a splash in the restful waters of the lake, then to stretch tired limbs while the white-bellied heads and quacking contentedly. Flocks of geese passed in wedge-shaped formation, their honking coming faintly from a dizzy height. A flock of Arctic swans, skimming so low that the crisp ripples their wings could be heard, landed in the

centre of the lake with a great commotion. There with their beautiful necks proudly arched they floated like white ghosts throughout the night. The red and yellow leaves, like gaily curtained draped the dead trees and the wild cranberry and high-bush cranberry hung frozen on the naked branches. The sun was surrounded by a ring and shone weakly through a misty haze. The unmistakable breath of the north wind was in the air.

Old John took his traps down from the loft and oiled them. A patch was found needed to a worn moccasin, and new leathers were inserted in his snowshoes. "Winter's coming," of liner, and we're going to have a heavy fall of snow," he mused to himself. For two days Nature gave warning, then on the second night the storm came. A roaring wind came blowing from the north, lashing the waters of the lake to foam, tearing at Donald's cabin with the strength of invisible giant hands, and howling through the forest with shrieking wails. Gust came upon gust with increasing strength, and in the short hills could be heard the wail of the sleety snow against the windows.

The big trees creaked as they swayed in the gale, and with a loud groan, as if in mortal pain, a huge forest monarch, as its roots gave way, fell crashing down the slender trees to smite the earth with a resounding crash.

The wind went down through the night, but the snow fell steadily. When Donald opened his door next morning he looked out on a white world. The wizardry of frost and snow had given the earth a blanket of white that was eye-blinding in its brilliancy under the bright morning sun. The keen frost had locked the lake tight under a coating of clear ice.

CHAPTER XIX.

With a fond hope that he would receive word of the Walnwrights, Donald eagerly awaited the coming of the mail, but after a month of disappointment he became less sanguine, and threw himself desperately into work in a vain attempt to allay his heartache.

During the long winter the mill continued operations in spite of the storm, the roads being kept open by the continual traffic.

Janet came twice with gay parties to enjoy the ski-ing and snowshoeing. She found that she loved Donald, and decided that any uncertainty as to his heart was as nothing when weighed against her need of him. Eagerly she reproached herself for allowing her pride to estrange him from her, and with all the arts of a beautiful and cultured woman she sought to regain the power she once held over him.

On one occasion, when Janet mentioned his "wood-sprite," she saw a rapt look in his eyes and caught her breath sharply. The very thought of losing him stabbed her like a knife-thrust.

With the coming of March a change came over the earth. Winter shivered and reluctantly loosed his hold. Gentle showers and warm winds from the south honey-combed the ice on the lake, snowdrifts faded away, and the frost-bound soil gave forth earthy odours to replace the keen smell of the snow.

One morning a song sparrow under Donald's window sent out its sweet throat with a chirp-chirp, and from the top of a swaying alder a wren carolled his joy of living in full-throated tones that said that spring was here. Stirred by the warmth and cleaving buds, the frogs came from the mud, where they had lain dormant all winter, and with swelling throats and bulging cheeks sent out their cheerful "K'tun, K'chunk."

Mists covered the lake, and in an open spot near the mouth of the creek a flock of ducks disported themselves happily. The sun grew higher with every dawn, gaining strength each day until its warming energy sprang the beauty of colour and fragrance over all.

One afternoon, when the air pulsed with the song of birds, and newly-opened buds burdened the air with perfume, Donald walked up the hill to Walnwright's cabin.

Scores of birds, returned from their yearly pilgrimage to the south, fitted about the deserted buildings, but there was no golden-haired girl with her seductive smile. He greeted them, flutters from the melting snows had gouged channels in the once neatly kept plots of wild flowers, and the roof of one of the smaller huts had fallen in.

Donald pushed open the door of the main building and entered. The air felt cold and dank. He experienced a quick depression of spirits, and his heart ached as he surveyed the gloomy interior. He shivered as a pack-rat scuttled across the floor and

disappeared under Connie's bunk. With a heavy heart he returned to the bright sunshine, out down, and gave himself over to a period of melancholy retrospection.

His mind went back to his first meeting with Connie, then on through the many thrilling episodes of the summer. She belonged to high mountains, to deep forest glades, to companionship with the birds, flowers and trees of God's wild outdoors. She would never be content with the bad air and the cramped conditions of cities. He suddenly remembered the words she had used that day by the stream near her nest in the cedars. He seemed to hear her voice, hesitating voice with its pleasant English accent.

"And," she had said, "six months out of every year I'd come right here and live in these mountains." "She'll come back," he said aloud. The thought cheered him. "She'll come back," he repeated to Andy that night.

"I 'ope so, Donnie." A week later, Robert Rennie, accompanied by his daughter, arrived at Summit Lake. The owner was in high spirits. "I am pleased with the excellent work you are doing here," he said, as he placed a hand in a friendly fashion on Donald's arm. "The mill is a success—a huge success—and I know you deserve the greater share of the credit!" He smiled up at Donald. "Next week," he went on, "an event of importance to the lumber industry takes place. The Government is to entertain an admit that I was proud when the chief forester called at my office to party of Eastern lumbermen. I will tell me that this mill had been selected for the most modern and efficient in the Province, and request permission to bring the Government's guests here."

"They are to stay here a few days, but they'll be inconvenient," as the train will be equipped with dining and sleeping-cars, boarded for the occasion by the C.P.R. I will come with them, but I am leaving it to you to arrange for their entertainment. Express a desire to be at the lake on the arrival of the excursion, Janet remained.

On the day set for the visit of the Eastern capitalists the sun rose in radiant promise of a typical June day. The leaves were now fully matured, and the willows and maples rustled under the soft, warm winds. All the valley was clothed in a verdant, quivering, gently pulsating life. The fog, that had so long shrouded the depot, its occupants poured out onto the small platform was filled to overflowing. Robert Rennie, accompanied by a slender man dressed in a tweed suit and cap, pushed his way through the crowd to Donald's side. Donald greeted his employer, then glanced casually at Mr. Rennie's companion. His eyes widened. "Mr. Walnwright!" he gasped.

Walnwright laughed happily as he swung Donald's hand. "Is this Constance—Miss Walnwright?" stammered Donald. Then he saw her. (To Be Continued.)

Paying the Royal Doctor

Chinese Emperor Always Stopped Salary When He Was Ill

The amount of the remuneration of the King's physician is causing speculation in some quarters, but it is to be wondered how they would have fared before the reign of the great Kien Loong, Emperor of China. One day this monarch inquired of a traveler how physicians were paid in England. With some difficulty he was made to comprehend that the doctor was paid for the time they attended their patients in sickness. "Why," exclaimed the Emperor, "is any man well in England who can afford to be ill? Now, I will inform you how we manage my physician. I have four to watch my health is committed; a certain weekly salary is allowed them, but the moment I am ill their salary stops till I am well again; I need not inform you that my illnesses are very short."

Would Be Of No Use

Angushed dinner: "Waiter, call the manager! There's a beetle in the soup!"

Waiter: "It's no use sending for him, sir, he's scared to death of them!"

A hen has been known to live for 19½ years.

Believes Women Are Happier Than Men

English Writer Claims They Get more Happiness Out of Ordinary Things of Life

Can it be proved that women are temperamentally happier than men? asks Florence A. Kilpatrick in the London Daily Mail.

Statistics cannot show a state of mind, but they reveal the fact that barely thirty per cent. of the people who take their own lives are women, for they numbered 1,500 out of the 5,000 suicides in England and Wales last year.

It is certain that women are not inclined to get so despondent over misfortune as men; their courage is usually more moral than physical; therefore they are quicker to see the silver lining to the cloud, she continues. On the other hand, they get more diversion out of the ordinary things in life. Can that being described by the Registrar-General as "the average man" and a joyous adventure in the mere buying of a hat?

Could he be happy and amused for an entire day just by altering the appointments of a room and rearranging the furniture?

Does he allow himself the mental relaxation of writing a long gossip letter to a friend? Rarely does he keep up friendships in this way. The letter writers are women, and it is one of the greatest interests in life to receive letters.

Observe the faces of the people in the streets, she says. Men walk as a rule, with preoccupied and grave expression. It is the women who look alert and smiling. The Japanese—whose writers are the most ungalant in the world in their attitude toward the fair sex—have an old proverb which declares, "Men laugh with their hearts; women only with their mouths."

If there is a hint of truth in this, it merely suggests that women's emotions are nearer the surface; being more sensitive, they can get a keener enjoyment out of life. Is it true? Whether one agrees with Miss Kilpatrick or not, there is food for thought in the suggestion that much happiness and contentment lies in the power to enjoy the simple things of life. A senseless and unending of the small pleasures of life is a source of deep and lasting enjoyment, and it is an attitude of mind that can be cultivated. An eminent psychologist expressed those who would be happy to learn to enjoy the everyday "joys of life"—to breathe deeply of the fresh air now and again, to look around with really seeing eyes at the trees and the hills and the sky, to savor consciously the fragrance of cooking food, to reduce to order many things there really are in the routine of everyday life which we take for granted but which add immeasurably to happiness and contentment.

Crime In New York

Murder Rate In U.S. Doubled Since 1900

Shortly after an insurance company statistician had reminded the American people that the murder rate in this country has doubled since 1900, Police Commissioner Whelan is out with a report showing that New York is keeping well up in the municipal crime procession. Although only \$2,000,000 more was spent on the police department in 1928 than in 1927, the results were not discernible in keeping down criminal impulses. There were 339 cases of murder and manslaughter, as contrasted with 278 in the previous year, and nearly all other forms of crime moved upward in the scale. The city seldom realizes its own size until it glances at its conduct report, as made out annually by police commissions. That 1,110 persons were killed and 45,955 injured in New York City traffic accidents in a year reads like a page out of barbaric history.—New York Times.

Home Market For Cattle

Canada Could Very Easily Use Entire Beef Production

Speaking in his annual report of the falling markets for Canadian cattle, Senator Riley asked the question, "where in the future will we find our markets?" and added: "Our home market now takes 85 per cent. of our beef production. Can we not in some way develop that market to take an entire 100 per cent? That is the problem that confronts the cattleman today, and I believe with the combined efforts of all livestock organizations and interested parties, that the problem can be solved."—Calgary Herald.

"Is old Angus a typical Scotchman?"

"Is he? He's saved all his playthings for his second childhood."

Mixed Farming Is Becoming Popular

Various Phases Being Taken Up By Saskatchewan Farmers

Not a week passes but there is new evidence of how the farmers of Saskatchewan are taking hold of various phases of mixed farming. At Stockholm, Sask., A. M. Silcott, of the dairy branch of the Department of Agriculture, has been giving some interesting and helpful demonstrations and talks to farmers on how they can improve in dairying methods, and in the course of which he declared that feeds grown on Saskatchewan farms could not be excelled anywhere in those ingredients that make for successful dairying. He also prophesied that in four or five years Saskatchewan herds would be among the leading herds on the continent. And now from R. M. Pugh, provincial apiarist, in an address over the radio comes fine encouragement for Saskatchewan honey producers. A year ago, he pointed out, there were 920 registered beekeepers in the province and today there are 1,200. There has been an increase of 50 members in the association since March 1 of this year.

Manitoba To Spend Large Amount On Highway

Manitoba Has Ambitious Building Program For This Year

A start on the construction of Manitoba's section of the trans-Canada highway eastward to the Ontario boundary will be made this year. The work, which is being planned by the department of highways, will include supplementary estimates were before the House for approval. An item of \$200,000 for start on the highway was passed. The cost, when completed would approximate \$500,000. It was stated that a capital account of \$1,000,000 to provide additional accommodation for the University of Manitoba was approved.

An ambitious road building project, involving the construction of 602 miles of new highways and the re-surfacing of 586 miles of trunk roads, at an aggregate cost of \$2,000,000 was outlined. In all, expenditures on road work in Manitoba during 1929 will total \$5,000,000, including work to be done by the municipalities under the Good Roads Act.

Rust Resisting Wheat Evolved Through Efforts Of Plant Breeders

At a meeting of the Associate Committee on Rust Research at Winnipeg (under the Dominion Department of Agriculture and the National Research Council), reports showed that rust-resistant wheats which appear to have good baking and milling qualities, have been secured through the efforts of the plant breeders engaged on the problem and now available. Tributes to the head work and patience of the experimenters were paid by Dr. J. H. Grisdale, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Western Manufactures

Over \$327,000,000 Produced In Western Provinces Last Year

Manufactured products of the prairie during the past year exceeded the sum of \$327,000,000 in value, according to J. W. Acland, retiring chairman of the prairie division of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, at the annual meeting of the association in Winnipeg.

Utilization of the mineral wealth of northern Manitoba and Saskatchewan and exploitation of Alberta's oil resources promise tremendous increases in the industrial output in the three central provinces, he stated.

To mean all you say is a sure way of making friends. To say all you mean is a surer way of making enemies.

"Your wife has coughed all night. Why didn't you send for me before?"

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— Lustig Kolner Zeitung, Cologne.



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The village of Crossfield will
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the general practice of the law.

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Phone H 3004, Crossfield. 14 p.

FOR SALE—Time Bred, Rose Comb,
Rhode Island Red, eggs for hatching, 75¢
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FOR SALE—Bighorn Shilling, riding
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Mr. and Mrs. Banister motored to
Calgary on Tuesday.

Mr. J. M. Williams motored to Cal-
gary Sunday, taking his son Jack to
Dr. Spunkie for treatment.

Several tables of whist were en-
joyed at the home of Mrs. Ed Jones
on Wednesday evening.

The handball club anticipates a
second round of the game and dance
on Wednesday, May 15th.

Mrs. H. Reeves entertained the
"Star" job on Tuesday evening.
Prizes were awarded.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Whitfield were
visitors in town over Sunday, the
guests of Mr. Wattfield's father.

Mr. C. W. Donald, local blacksmith,
has taken over the Massey-Harris
agency, which was formerly handled
by the Co-operative store.

Another thing! Our first League
ball game will be played on Wednes-
day, May 15, so let's ensure a good
crowd present, it's a holiday.

Mrs. J. M. Williams wishes to
thank the Women's Guild for the
beautiful flowers and also the ladies
that brought dainty eats.

Mrs. Earl Devins and Miss Stella
Gordon motored to Calgary Thursday.
Mr. George Huser conducted business
in town and district this week.

A number of friends of Mr. and
Mrs. Earl Devins were entertained at
bridge at their home on Tuesday eve-
ning.

The G.O.L.T. club are busily en-
gaged in preparing for a Mother and
Pamper Luncheon, to be held this
month.

Don't forget Mother's Day, Sunday,
May 11th. Sit down and write her
Cut letter in remembrance of the best
mother.

Miss Florence Amon, formerly of
the Hays Cafe and at present em-
ployed on Edith's staff in Calgary,
was a visitor in town Wednesday re-
newing acquaintances.

We notice in a recent Calgary
paper that Alvin Biles, formerly of
Crossfield, earned the honor of being
fifth in a class of twenty-one. Also
established her grade XI in the local high
school and was always an A-1
student.

Mr. C. W. Donald is improving his
property by giving it a coat of paint.
Other property owners would be well
advised to do likewise. This is the
last week of the big clean-up and
painting campaign. Have you joined
in the movement?

It appears that our male popula-
tion is still a prey to the charms of
the fair sex; at any rate no very dis-
crepant means were used by a couple
of ladies on Saturday afternoon, who
cleverly reduced the bulk of various
purse.

Dorothy Crocker and Glen Jones
motored to Crossfield on Sunday ac-
companied by Mr. and Mrs. Crocker,
with Nellie and Henry Whitfield. It
will be of interest to the friends of
Mr. Jones to know that he has re-
cently been transferred from the
Wetaskiwin branch of the Revelstoke
Mills to the head office situated in
Calgary.

Wednesday, May 15th, is the date
on which the local half-holiday by-
law comes into force. Our town is
only one of many where the idea has
proven very popular and a source of
relief from monotonous routine for
employers and employees. This free-
dom should be a good drawing card
for crowds to the league ball games,
many of which will be played on Wed-
nesdays.

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must be in hands of printers by noon on
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tisements cancelled.

Miss Florence Roche, formerly of
Crossfield, graduated from the
General Hospital in Edmonton, on
Tuesday, May 7th.

The post office will be closed on
Wednesdays at noon, but the out-
side door will remain open for the
convenience of box holders.

The Olds highschool basketball
team played a fast game against
the local girls on Monday and de-
feated them 6-2. The local girls
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receivable will be settled at an early
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(Signed) P. ROYER.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
IN THE MATTER OF THE Estate of
Walter George Stone late of near
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Alberta, Farmer, deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given that all
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Stone, who died on the 17th day of
January, A.D. 1929, are required to
file with the undersigned by the 15th
day of June, 1929, a full statement
of their claims and of any securities
held by them and that after that
date the Administrators of his
Estate will distribute the assets
of the deceased among the Parties
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